

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: <b>10/038,169</b>	Examiner: <b>Baotran N. TO</b>
First Named Inventor: <b>Dan BONEH</b>	Art Unit: <b>2135</b>
Filed: <b>January 2, 2002</b>	Confirmation No.: <b>7811</b>
Customer No.: <b>23973</b>	NEW Attorney Docket No.: <b>200634-0096 (425599)</b>
Title: <b>METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRANSPARENT ENCRYPTION</b>	

**REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

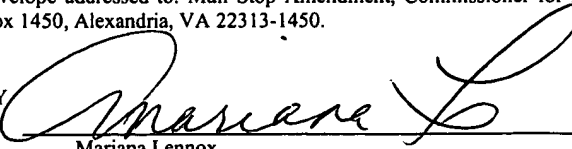
Sir:

This is in response to the final office action mailed April 30, 2008. This reply is filed within the six month statutory period set in the action for reply, and is submitted in conjunction with a petition for a one month extension of time. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed concurrently herewith. If any fee is paid incorrectly in connection with the filing of this reply, please charge the correct fee and/or refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0573.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.**

**Remarks begin on page 10.**

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows:

<p align="center"><b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</b> <b>UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that this paper, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date indicated below, with sufficient postage, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</p> <p>BY  Mariana Lennox DATE: August 21, 2008</p>
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